

Desperate Fighting now Proceeding on the Front Held by Russo-Roumans

Strong Teuton Attacks Repulsed Along Fokshani-Maraschetti Railroad—In Counter Attack 1,200 Enemy Captured—Forced To Retire Under Pressure Later—Take Offensive In Southeastern Moldavia And Smash Hun Lines—In Flanders British Make Small Gain And Drive Off Counter Attacks.

(By Morning Bulletin Leased Wire)

PETROGRAD, Aug. 12.—Desperate engagements are being fought by the Russo-Roumanian forces and Austro-German troops all along the Roumanian front. In the centre of this front, according to today's Russian official statement, the Russians and Roumanians yesterday repulsed strong Teuton attacks along the Fokshani-Maraschetti railroad, then counter attacked and captured 1,200 Germans, only to retire later in the evening. In southeastern Moldavia the Russians took the offensive, smashed the Teuton lines and captured a number of prisoners and four guns. In western Moldavia the Austro-Germans after battles of great intensity forced the Roumanians to retire to Oca.

The text of the Russian statement follows:

"Roumanian front: In the region of the Upper Dobra river and north of the Dofteana river fighting continues with variable success. West of the Oca-Grozeana line during the whole of yesterday battles of great intensity took place. The Austro-German launched stubborn attacks, chiefly in the direction of Oca. The Roumanians were forced to retire to Oca along the Mosorod road and to the west of Grozeana.

"In the direction of Fokshani the Austro-Germans launched stubborn attacks along the Fokshani-Mara railroad. The Austro-Germans and Roumanian troops, in spite of the considerable superiority of enemy forces, stubbornly defended their position and made counter attacks, during which about 1,200 German prisoners were captured. Towards evening, under strong pressure of enemy forces, our troops and the Roumanians recrossed to the villages of Maraschetti and Furtisen.

"In the region of the south of the River Buzau our troops, having assumed the offensive, captured as the result of their rapid onslaught part of the enemy positions, four cannon and eight machine guns."

British Make Progress.

LONDON, Aug. 12.—Last night the weather on the battle front in Flanders was wet and stormy. Fighting between the British and French took place east of Givenchy-Les-La Basses, seven miles north of Lens, where the British occupied the near lip of a mine crater and drove off German counter assaults. The British official statement announcing this operation follows:

"The weather was wet and stormy. During the night fighting occurred for possession of a mine crater east of Givenchy-Les-La Basses. We established ourselves on the near lip of the crater and drove off counter attacks.

"The hostile artillery showed great activity last night east and north of Ypres (Belgium)."

LONDON, Aug. 12.—Six German assaults were made on the British positions to the east of Ypres during the night of the 11th, the British official statement adds. They all broke down after fierce fighting.

Feld Marshal Haig reported that the British maintained their positions to the east of Ypres and gained ground near the Ypres-Menin road.

French Resume Attack.

LONDON, Aug. 12.—French troops last night resumed their counter-attacks against the positions which the Germans had captured on the night of Aug. 9-10, north of St. Quentin. The French official statement issued this afternoon says it will be necessary for the Germans to aerial bombardment of Nancy and the region north of Paris.

Bomb Frankfurt-on-Main.

PARIS, Aug. 12.—Two French aviators yesterday dropped bombs on Frankfurt-on-Main, one of the most important cities of the German empire, having population of more than 300,000. A French official statement announced that they say it will be necessary for the German aerial bombardment of Nancy and the region north of Paris.

Both French machines returned undamaged.

The text of the announcement reads:

"In reprisal for the German bombardments of Nancy and the region north of Paris, two of our machines, piloted by Lieut. Mezergues and Sub-Lieutenant Gouraud, have just dropped bombs on Frankfurt-on-Main. Both machines returned undamaged."

Bomb Airdrome.

LONDON, Aug. 12.—A statement issued by admiralty says:

"Several tons of bombs were dropped by the Royal Naval Air Service Thursday night of Ghelstiles airdrome on the Zuidwege railway sidings and on the Thourout railway junction. Dense clouds of smoke were caused by the bombs.

"On Friday afternoon a further bombing raid was carried out on the airdrome at Sparapheelde. All our machines returned safely."

Ready to Spring on Enemy Fleet Should it Issue From Its Lair

(By Morning Bulletin Leased Wire) PARIS, Aug. 12. (Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency)—Correspondent of Le Journal de Paris has been visiting the British fleet writes:

"The spectacle is so great that the eye cannot take in the hole fleet armament of the British fleet must ready to spring upon the enemy should the latter issue from the lair of its fleet, constitute a weapon of which the Huns cannot imagine."

Gunner on Canada Bound Boat Hit Sub. With His First Shot

(By Morning Bulletin Leased Wire) A CANADIAN PORT, Aug. 12.—After a long boat chase, which reached her Saturday night of an encounter with a submarine on the trip across the Atlantic in which the undersized boat was sunk. The meeting took place near the Irish coast. The lookout man notified the captain that a small sailing vessel was acting suspiciously. It was watched carefully, and a submarine was seen to emerge from behind it.

CROWDED STREET CARS COLLIDED

Passenger Injured In An Accident On Main Street, Winnipeg.

(By Morning Bulletin Leased Wire) WINNIPEG, Aug. 12.—Two Winnipeg street cars collided on Saturday evening on Main street. Both cars were crowded with passengers, but the only person to be seriously hurt was W. H. Holland, of Swan Lake. Holland sustained injuries to the head and did not recover consciousness for fifteen hours.

MANY CANADIANS IN AIR SERVICE

Hundreds Now Serving In Army And Navy Flying Corps.

(By Morning Bulletin Leased Wire) LONDON, Aug. 12. (C. A. P.)—FIGURES illustrating the extent to which Canada is represented in the imperial flying service have been supplied by the Canadian Associated Press from an authoritative source and show the following results:

"The number of officers who, coming to England in the Canadian forces, were granted commissions in the flying corps is 299.

Officers of Canadian birth who secured commissions directly in the flying corps number 93.

Three hundred and forty-six officers in the mixed air service came from Canada under the arrangements organized there by Admiral Kinglsey.

Sixty-six officers who joined the naval air service in Canada have since been transferred into the Royal Flying Corps. Eighty members of the Canadian military forces have been granted commissions in the naval air service.

INSURANCE MEN TO BE LICENSED BY NEW LAW

Severe Penalties For Carrying On Business Without Permission.

(By Morning Bulletin Leased Wire) PARIS, Aug. 12.—In the house of Commons yesterday Hon. J. Doherty moved the second reading of a bill to amend the criminal code respecting insurance. The bill provides that it shall be an indictable offense for anyone to solicit or carry on a business of insurance unless duly licensed by the minister of finance.

Penalties range from \$20 to \$100 for the first offense and from \$50 to \$100 for the second offense together with imprisonment of from one to three months in default of payment for the first offense and imprisonment of from three to six months for the second offense.

Criminal Offense.

Frank Gilas, of Middlesex, declared that the practice was very common everywhere and lead to abuse and injustice.

O. T. George, of Gloucester, declared that while the Bank Act was being amended, the minister of finance had promised that he would use his influence with the banks to increase the salary of their agents so that they would not have to take up insurance. He had not received any improvement, however.

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DEBACLE LAID TO AGENTS OF OLD REGIME

Report To Workmen's And Soldiers' Council By Col. Koltkoff.

TRENCHES FILLED WITH GERMAN SPIES

Vodka Secretly Distilled And Supplied To The Troops.

(By Morning Bulletin Leased Wire) PETROGRAD, Aug. 12.—Causes of the Russian war against the Germans and Austria-Hungary are given in the remarkable report by Col. Koltkoff to the council of workmen's and soldiers' deputies. The responsibility is placed on the activity of ex-politicians, gendarmes and spies of Emperor Nicholas, who, after being deprived of their livelihood were compelled to turn to crime.

Until the end of June, says Col. Koltkoff, the soldiers on the western front were in excellent fighting trim. There was an admirably completed plan to advance which would probably have led to the reconquest of Vilna. But the police, gendarmes and spies of the autocracy started an anti-patriotic campaign, the first design of which was the dissolution of the army.

Large numbers managed to get elected to the regimental company committees, started a propaganda against war, inciting soldiers against officers, against the provisional government, against labor, and even against violence. Later they secretly distilled vodka and on the advance dosed soldiers therewith.

The Germans took advantage of these conditions and flooded the Russian trenches with Russian spies in full uniform. Formerly the reinforcements units arriving on the front were slightly weaker in number than the units rolled over, between which the units were always stronger owing to the presence in districts of Germans.

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STROME FAIR SPLENDID EVENT; BEST DISTRICT HAS YET SEEN; CATTLE AND HORSES ARE FINE

Strome, Alta., Aug. 11.—The eighth annual fair of the Strome-Kilkil Agricultural society was held Friday on the fair grounds, Strome.

The fair was the most successful yet held in the district as regards number of entries, quality and quantity of exhibits, and size of the gathering.

The quality of the exhibits was decidedly better than in any previous year, especially in the class of horses, the display in this branch of the exhibition showing a marked improvement on last year, particularly the heavy Clydes and Percherons.

The quality of the cattle exhibited was excellent. In the words of J. Wilson, judge, "there was not a poor one in the bunch," but the number of animals in this section might have been larger.

The hogs were of a particularly good description, the Berkshires being the best where all were good.

The sheep too were a very creditable lot of animals, especially the Shropshires.

There was a good display of grain and grasses and also of vegetables and roots.

The ladies' and children made a very creditable showing in needle work, knitting, embroidery, etc., the cooking being particularly good.

The school work showed much care on the part of the children of the district.

There was a programme of sports and games in the afternoon, and a dance at night brought the proceedings to a close—music by Lynch's orchestra. Edmontonians of the society are W. F. Johnston, president; John Gair and J. P. McMillan, vice-presidents, and R. T. Stevens secretary-treasurer, and it is to the untiring zeal and intelligent organizing work of these gentlemen that the marked success of the exhibition is mostly due.

The judges were:

Bronze—A. Gaibraith, Spokane; Cattle, Sheep and Swine—J. Wilson, Milnerston.

Grains and Grasses—E. H. Malcolm, and O. P. McDowell.

Vegetables and Roots—E. H. Malcolm.

Flowers and Art—Mrs. E. L. Lake, Mrs. N. G. Campbell and Mrs. J. T. Rattray.

Poultry—H. W. Scott.

Needlework—Mrs. A. Gair and Mrs. E. Waite.

Dairy Products—H. W. Scott.

Domestic—Mrs. H. W. Storey, Mrs. Waite and Mrs. Wm. Gibb.

Children's Work—Mrs. E. Lake, Mrs. N. G. Campbell, and Mrs. J. T. Rattray.

HORSES

Clydesdale: Stallion, any age—1. Wm. Lindsay; 2. F. R. Bowby.

Stallion, 3 and under 4 years—1. A. L. Langman; 2. Wm. Lindsay.

Brood mare, with foal—1. Wm. Lindsay; 2. A. L. Langman; 3. C. F. Lyall.

Filly, 3 years old—Wm. Lindsay; 2. A. L. Langman; 3. C. F. Lyall.

Filly, 2 years old—1. A. L. Langman; 2. Wm. Lindsay; 3. A. L. Langman.

Yearling—1. A. L. Langman; 2. Wm. Lindsay.

Foal 1917—1. A. L. Langman; 2. Wm. Lindsay.

Team in harness—1. Wm. Lindsay; 2. C. F. Lyall.

Stallion, any age—1. A. L. Langman; 2. years and under 3—1. Wm. Anderson; 2. A. E. Lymburner.

Three year old filly—1. A. E. Lymburner.

Team in harness—1. A. E. Lymburner.

Filly, 3 years old—Wm. Anderson.

Mare with three of her progeny under 4 years—1. A. E. Lymburner.

Standard Brood: Stallion, any age—1. Wm. Lindsay; 2. Wm. Lindsay.

Stallion, 2 years and under—1. Wm. Lindsay; 2. Wm. Lindsay.

Brood mare with foal—1. Wm. Lindsay; 2. Wm. Lindsay.

Filly or gelding, 2 years old—1. G. T. Frazer.

Foal 1917—1. A. L. Langman.

Agricultural: Team in harness—1. R. Lindsay; 2. Wm. Lindsay; 3. A. L. Langman.

Brood mare with foal—1. A. J. Scrimgeour.

Filly or gelding—1. A. J. Scrimgeour.

Filly or geld

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TAX RATE THIS YEAR ESTIMATED 28 MILLS—TOTAL ASSESSMENT WILL BE ABOUT \$100,000,000

No Calculation Has Been Made For Any Special Taxes—Proposed Extra Levy Of \$500,000 As A Reserve To Cover Deficits On Tax Sales Would Bring Rate To 33 Mills.

Unless something unforeseen happens the city's tax mill rate this year will be 28 mills, or in close proximity to that figure.

Now that the assessment appeals have been decided it is possible to arrive at some sort of estimate of the rate, for taking into consideration the reductions made, the total assessment this year will be just about \$100,000,000.

Next week the commissioners will commence on the revised estimates for the year but in estimating the 28 mills allowance has been made for any cuts likely to be made unless it may be that whole departments are swept away.

As to Special Taxes

No calculation has, however, been made for any special taxes likely to be imposed, but the business tax has to go to the citizens for approval before anything can be imposed by such a method. This leaves the increasing of licenses as a source or a poll-tax, but licenses have been mainly collected for the year and it does not seem likely that special taxes will yield much revenue this year.

Again, it was proposed that provision should be made by an extra levy of \$500,000 to the tax assessor to cover deficits on tax sales, and thus the tax year appears to be defensible. In addition to money, the \$500,000 special levy has not been taken into account in making the calculations, as it may not be imposed this year.

To put on the \$500,000 would drive the mill rate up to about 33 mills, unless there were some set-off in money being paid by special taxes.

As October Tax Sale

City Comptroller Mitchell, who with Assessor Walker is now busy making these calculations, calls attention to the need for the current year's taxes to be realized as largely as possible and the efforts which some cities are making in order to see this object. He draws attention to the scheme put forward by Mayor Todd, of Victoria, as something which might be adopted by Edmonton's needs.

Major Todd has presented a plan to his council by which he proposes to hold a tax sale in October of all properties in arrears of taxes before and up to the end of 1916, and annually thereafter. In the meantime delinquent taxpayers may enter into an alleviating agreement with the city whereby having paid all taxes from June 30, 1917 and each year thereafter, they will be allowed to pay up arrears due before June 30, 1917.

Penalties are imposed for failure to live up to the agreement culminating in a transfer of the property to the city.

Comptroller Mitchell says that the period for paying up arrears need not be as long as 10 years, and also the agreement could include the provision of a small percentage of arrears being paid annually. The point of the scheme is that it helps to secure the payment of current taxes.

Farmers Like Liberal Platform; Their Interests Well Looked After

Harry Bell, Representative Agriculturalist of Namao, Joins in General Opinion as to Success of Great Meeting at Winnipeg.

Harry Bell, one of the representative farmers of Namao, who returned Friday night from the great Liberal convention at Winnipeg, joins in the general opinion as to the success of the big gathering.

"It was very gratifying to the farmers to find the unanimous support which was given to the resolutions in the interests of the farming community," said Mr. Bell in the Bulletin Saturday morning.

"Our problems were discussed in a sympathetic way and reforms for which we have been working were given hearty endorsement."

"Personally, I never expected that the objects for which we have been laboring would be so cordially endorsed by a party convention."

The farmer delegates were entirely satisfied with the platform which I don't think could be improved."

G. A. Wilkinson, also of Namao, who returned from Winnipeg with Mr. Bell after voicing his personal satisfaction with the re-

Why Not Treat Yourself to One of These New Books?

The Mark of Cain.
—By Carolyn Wells.

Cleek's Government Cases.
—By Thomas H. Hanshaw.

Miss Haroun Al-Raschid.
—By Jessie Douglas Kermish.

Bab a Sub-Dub.
—By Mary Roberts Rinehart

The Stars in Their Courses.
—By Hilda M. Sharp.

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suit of the convention said that one thing should be impressed on the minds of the people of Alberta and that was: That the delegates were not "handicapped" but rather given by the representatives of the Province. "It was the desire of the leaders of the Liberal party dominating so much as it was the and sole of the party pointing out the stand the leaders should take in formulating a policy and announcing a platform. There was no machine politics in it," said Mr. Wilkinson.

**RAYMOND BALL
BURIED SUNDAY**

Dies From The Effect Of Injuries Received In Automobile Accident.

The funeral of Raymond Ball, the 11-year-old son of G. R. Ball, West Salisbury, who died Friday, as the result of injuries which he received on August 1st, when an automobile in which the members of the Ball family were driving, turned turtle, was held yesterday at 2 o'clock.

The interment took place in the Clover Bar cemetery. There were fully one hundred cars in procession.

Raymond Ball was one of the first members of The Bulletin's Aladdin club.

CONSUMERS' LEAGUE MEETING

J. H. Lamb, Alberta's representative on the food control board, Mayor Henry John Blue and Mrs. R. J. Russell will be the principal speakers at the main meeting under the auspices of the Consumers' League. It will be held in the McDougall church on Thursday evening, at 8 o'clock.

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SIGNED BY THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

LONGER OPEN SEASON FOR LAKE FISHING

Meeting At East End Park Also Protests Against Extension Gas Franchise.

At the Vancouver franchise committee has authorized the solicitor to propose an amendment to the bylaw, embodying recent amendments and providing for licenses to be issued by bankers, real estate agents and others doing business in the municipality not at present included in the bylaw. The solicitor was also requested to prepare an amendment to the road tax bylaw to bring into accord with the recent amendment which provides that the persons, male or female, between the ages of 21 and 60, who reside in the municipality for two weeks, may be called upon to pay a \$2 road tax.

The resolution relating to fishing states:

"Whereas, in the interests of game preserves certain fish regulations applicable to older and more settled communities, and drawn to govern lakes only a small portion of which are fish breeding or feeding grounds, and these regulations have been enacted into law, we therefore resolve, except without change or alteration, to Alberta's inland lakes under altogether different conditions. And whereas,

These are the firms occupying the premises: Dowers Limited, Venice and Hazelton's Barber College. A large part of the damage to dining and restaurant stocks was from smoke and water. Several of the barber chairs in the Hemphill College have been precipitated to the basement following the caving in of the floor whose supports were destroyed by flames.

When the people occupying the rooms on the top floor heard the alarm of a fire a miniature panic reigns for a time. Clothing and valuates were hastily thrown to the pavement from the windows while those roused from their beds rushed hastily into the street clad only in their night attire. For a short period successive overcasts, pictures and goods of all description, filled the air.

NANKIN BLOCK FIRE IS STILL A MYSTERY

Early Morning Blaze Saturday Caused Damage To Extent Of \$11,000.

No cause has as yet been suggested for the fire which caused damage to the extent of about \$11,000 early Saturday morning in the block between 8th and 10th avenues. The police and fire departments are conducting a vigorous investigation. The central fire station was notified by telephone from the North Star rooming house, which occupies the upper floors of the building. When the department arrived the fire was found to be burning in the basement and the flames were working their way through the floors. The firemen got to work in short order and soon had the blaze under control.

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The first lesson to be taught is that of personal cleanliness. This is insisted on from the very beginning. The boys are taught how to swim. It is in direct contrast to the accepted notion that the Indians, with very few exceptions, do not know how to swim. However, the boys take to the idea very kindly and through the example of the boys at the school there is not one of the young men in the district who has not tried to learn. When the boys first started to swim the Indian boy who lived next by, in this instance, took to swimming the new art, plunged into the water without taking off their clothes.

The ordinary lessons in the curriculum are taught. The school is under government supervision and is inspected once or twice a year by the school inspector who inspects the Indian agent. The spiritual education of the children is not neglected and the school is under the inspection and direction of Bishop Stringer.

Tribute To Work Of W. A.
The school has three principal sources of support, the government per capita grant, the S.C.C. grant given by the different units of the Women's Auxiliary. Mr. Vale gave unstinted recognition to the help received from the latter source, saying that without it it would be almost impossible to continue the work. The All Saints' W.A. had sent nine outfits and had undertaken the support of some of the children in a monetary way.

Since his return from the East he has had a number of calls from persons urging him to take steps along various lines and he has explained to them that he is powerless as the entire control rests in the hands of W. J. Hanna and the regulations come from his office at Ottawa.

This is the direct statement issued by Mr. Lamb.

"In view of the wide publicity given my name in connection with Food Control it is necessary for me to state that the Food Controller, the Hon. W. J. Hanna has honored me with the membership on the Central Advisory Council."

"This body is simply advisory in its relation to the Hon. Mr. Hanna and I do not represent the Food Controller's authority or administration of affairs."

"Whereas, unless the company are compelled to carry out their solemn obligation this gas will remain unused, and the city of Edmonton will be compelled to use coal for heating indefinitely; and

"Whereas, the installation of the pipe necessary to deliver gas to Edmonton for use would provide a large amount of welcome labor to residents of Edmonton and vicinity at this time, and the use of this natural gas for heating would release thousands of tons of coal for use elsewhere during the war and at a time when a coal famine is threatened in the west and

"Whereas, the delivery of this pipe would be a good war move and as necessary as many other war preparations in view of the shortage of coal; and

"Whereas, the said pipe can be procured, although at a slightly increased cost over the years, and the pipe will not be used until the company has completed their arrangements for the said pipe at that time, as they assured the city council had been done; now, therefore,

"This public meeting of citizens of Edmonton protest against any extension of the time for carrying out the terms of this franchise and contrary to the best interests of the empire at a time when every effort is being made to conserve fuel for the benefit of the empire and that a copy of this resolution be wired to the fuel controller."

The resolution in regard to the extension of the franchise was carried by a vote of 1,000 to 100.

Estimate of Hon. Duncan Marshall—\$75,000,000 For Wheat Alone.

That there will be a wheat crop in Alberta this year averaging twenty-five bushels to the acre is the confident prediction of Hon. Duncan Marshall, Minister of Agriculture, on his return from the east.

Mr. Marshall bases his estimate on the records of measurements from every outlying area of the province.

A little figuring on the minister's estimate gives some cheerful results. Alberta will have about a million and a half acres under wheat. Taking twenty-five bushels for each acre the total is 27,500,000 bushels. At two dollars per bushel which is forty cents below the price not obtaining for No. 2 wheat in Saskatchewan when the returns look like \$15,000,000 in this province for wheat alone this year.

This sum would mean \$150 each for every man, woman and child of the province on the wheat product alone if it were equally distributed. Then there are other grains, which will total more than wheat. And there are cattle and horses and sheep and many other smaller products which are to mean millions to the province this year.

MILITARY FUNERAL FOR DEAD SOLDIER

The late Sergt. R. G. McKenzie, who died at Alberta Beach Saturday was, as usual, a most enjoyable affair. A special train took some 500 people to the beach. The weather was perfect and everyone, from grandfather down to the smallest toddler of the lot, had a good time. A fine program of sports was run off and a large number took advantage of the warm weather to take a dip in Lac Ste. Anne. The return trip was accomplished without incident. The sale of tickets was in the hands of the Red Cross, which realized a satisfactory sum from the enterprise.

STRUCK BY STREET CAR

Fred Wells, proprietor of a barber shop on Whyte avenue, south side, was struck by a street car while crossing the avenue in front of his place of business Saturday night and severely cut about the head. General hospital.

MADE ACTING PRINCIPAL

Dr. David E. Thomas, of the staff, has been appointed acting principal of Alberta college south. A committee of the college board is considering the question of a permanent successor to Dr. J. H. Riddell, who has been made principal of Wesley college, Winnipeg.

SCHOOL WORK FOR INDIANS IN FAR NORTH

Rev. A. J. Vale Gives Interesting Address At All Saints' Church.

Rev. A. J. Vale, principal of the Anglican school at Hay River, in the Mackenzie River diocese, preaching at All Saints' church Sunday morning, gave an interesting account of his work among the Eskimos and Indians in that remote field.

Hay River, he said, was, roughly speaking, 1,000 miles north of Edmonton. The diocesan school was attended by pupils who came from as far north as Bathurst Inlet, on the Arctic ocean, in northernmost Fort McMurray, Lake Athabasca, in the south. The diocese contains approximately 600,000 square miles and is inhabited chiefly by Indians and Eskimos and the children who attend the school are the children of Christian natives. At the present time there are 35 children in the school, four of them Eskimos and the remainder Indians.

PRACTICAL TRAINING.

Those in charge of the school, said Mr. Vale, tried to give their pupils practical training, not only book knowledge which would be of value to them when they returned to their woods, knowing nothing. The object is to teach them something which they in turn can teach their friends and relations.

The first lesson to be taught is that of personal cleanliness. This is insisted on from the very beginning. The boys are taught how to swim. It is in direct contrast to the accepted notion that the Indians, with very few exceptions, do not know how to swim. However, the boys take to the idea very kindly and through the example of the boys at the school there is not one of the young men in the district who has not tried to learn. When the boys first started to swim the Indian boy who lived next by, in this instance, took to swimming the new art, plunged into the water without taking off their clothes.

The ordinary lessons in the curriculum are taught. The school is under government supervision and is inspected once or twice a year by the school inspector who inspects the Indian agent. The spiritual education of the children is not neglected and the school is under the inspection and direction of Bishop Stringer.

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Social Side of City Life

EDITED BY MISS MARION SETHURU

PERSONALS, MEETINGS, CLUB ACTIVITIES, WEDDINGS AND SOCIAL EVENTS

PEACE; come away; the song of
is after all an earthly song." —Tennyson.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Loder left on
Saturday's express for Vancouver, B.C.

Dr. and Mrs. Gillespie and W. F.
Gillespie left last night for the coast.
They will be away two weeks from
the city.

Mr. and Mrs. A. U. G. Bury of the
Highlands, returned from an enjoy-
able holiday trip to the coast Saturday.

Mrs. Freda Tiffin of Provost, who
spent the week with Mrs. H. C. Mac-
Donald, Cameron street, has returned
home.

C. Harford, of Provost, is visiting
his sister, Mrs. R. E. Smith, at Cook-
ing Lake.

Mr. W. J. McNamara, accompanied
by his sisters, Miss Nell and Miss Clis-
sy, are holidaying at Gull Lake for a
day or so, going on to Banff by motor.

Miss Grace McLeod is giving a
shower tonight in honor of Miss
Gladys Filer, on the occasion of her
approaching marriage, which takes
place this week.

Miss Jessie and Miss Emmeline
Baxter are holidaying at the coast,
visiting in Victoria and Vancouver for a
month.

Mr. Norman L. Harvey is registered
at the Fort Garry, Winnipeg.

Mrs. H. A. Craig and family, who
have been holidaying at Moonlight
Bay, Wabamun, have just returned to
the city.

Mrs. Crawford, little Isabel Yockney
and Miss Beaton, of Cobourg, Ont.,
Collegians, who have been visiting
at Glenross Lodge, have gone to Victo-
ria, after a month's visit, says the
Vancouver World.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Finkle and son of
Wetaskiwin are spending a few days
in the city.

Mrs. Brown is the guest of Mrs.
George McTaggart at Stettler.

Mrs. Milne and her daughter, Mrs.
Rush of Lamont, are week end visitors.

Mrs. E. Bashaw and daughters are
spending the balance of their holidays
at Buffalo Lake.

The Misses McLennan, daughters of
Dr. McLennan are visiting Mrs. (Dr.)
Fraser at Bashaw.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Fife and Mr. and
Mrs. G. S. Montgomery left on Wed-
nesday for the East, travelled via
Toronto, Sudbury, Duluth and
Sarnia. Mr. and Mrs. Fife will spend
some time with their youngest son
who is at Petawawa camp, returning
in about six weeks. Mr. and Mrs.
Montgomery went down to see their
boys who have enlisted, before they
go overseas.

Major Harry Waits who arrived in
the city recently from England leaves
on Tuesday for the north to visit his
daughter, Mrs. Pentland at Lake Sas-
katchewan.

Mrs. Cubbon from Harris, Saskatch-
ewan, is visiting in town the guest of
her sister, Miss Gladys Carroll.

Miss Bessie Forin is thoroughly en-
joying her holiday at Lake Qu'Appelle,
the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Mc-
Gillivray.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Riggs family
will be in Edmonton, while Mr. Riggs
will continue his work on Wild Lakes
Tax. He will spend six months of the
year in Edmonton and six months in
this district.

Mrs. George Kesterton, who has
been visiting friends in Saskatoon, has
returned to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. D. McLaren are in
Calgary for a visit.

Miss Edith Cochrane is the guest of
Mrs. J. A. Bradner in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. A. Reany have
been the guests of Major and Miss
Frances Bruce in Calgary for a few days
en route home from Banff.

Mrs. Frank Brown and little daugh-
ter, Mary, are the guests of Mrs. F. J.
Brown, Westmount, Calgary.

Miss Winnie Thompson of Calgary
is spending her holidays in Edmonton.

The Dominion Serbian relief com-
mittee has written to the president of
the Saskatchewan committee to say
that Miss Helen Losaritch, the young
and attractive girl-lecturer who has
done so much for Serbian relief, will
be touring the west early in the
autumn.

Mrs. D. J. Douglas (nee Miss Mary
Strachan) from Medicine Hat is in
the city for a few weeks the guest of

Burns

The fire is removed from burns and scabs
and the intense pain is quickly soothed with
the power of sulfure. For burns, wounds,
cuts, scratches and abrasions, the oil of Sulphur
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Sunday, \$1.50.**

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Milk, 5¢; Butter, 12¢; Eggs, 12¢;
Cheese, 12¢; Butter, 12¢; Eggs, 12¢;

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The Daily Poem

A BUGABOO

A big man, walking down a road,
Saw rushing toward him, on swift
feet.

A monstrous dog, in manner wild;

Not often had he chance to meet
A dog so fierce of mien.

Although the man loved all good dogs,

This one's appearance made his
heart.

Beat most uncomfortably fast,

And beats of desperation start
In terror on his brow.

At last the two met face to face,

When lo, what was the man's sur-
prise

To find the creature but a pup
Of mildest aspect, with soft eyes

And friendly wagging tail!

While from his mouth he dropped a
lame tone.

At the man's feet, as if to say:

"O sir, I'd be obliged to you

If only you would please to play
A game of ball with me!"

A foolish, awkward, loving pup

Was he, quite innocent of guile;

Oh, how relieved was the big man,

Who was expecting all the while
To meet a savage beast!

How often is it thus in life,

Some bugbear full of mickening

dread.

That haunts us, when met face to
face.

Thus caused the man as on he
sped—

"Disolves as morning dew."

—By Louella C. Pool.

her mother Mrs. Andrew Strachan,
117th street.

Mr. J. H. Jackson left on Friday for
Victoria to join Mrs. Jackson and two
daughters Marion and Evelyn who are
spending the summer at the coast.

Mrs. Donald Macdonald of Edmon-
ton, and her three children, are spending
several weeks at Kamouraska. Before
returning to Edmonton Mrs. Macdonald
will spend some weeks at her former home in Cobourg, Ont., with her mother, Mrs. Kerr, wife of
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Capt. Geo. D. Hunt, who was wounded
at Vimy Ridge, April 9, is invalid-
ed home and is at the home of his
parents Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Hunt, 39
Niagara street.—Winnipeg Free Press.

There were quite a number of dan-
cers on the floor on Saturday after-
noon at the Hotel MacDonald, tem-
pance.

The music was very good

and, for the month of August, a very

good attendance for tea. Some of

those noticed were: Mrs. Ambrose
Dickens, Mrs. Percy Hardisty, Mrs.
Harold Brunton, Mrs. A. E. Nash, Mr.
Arnold Soars, Miss Marion Rose, Mr.
Gawthorpe, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth
Bowne, Miss Cauchon, Miss Webb
(Denver), Mr. and Mrs. Shogran, Miss
Stauff, Mr. and Mrs. Norman
Smith and guest, Mrs. Bertrand, and
guest, Miss Helen Wishart, Miss
Edna Mooney, Mrs. Waddell, Mrs.
Benson, Mrs. Harry Shaw, Mrs. Graham,
Mrs. G. B. O'Connor, Miss Sib-
bald, Miss, Iris Day, Mrs.
(Dr.) Holgate, Mrs. Eugene Coleman,
Mrs. Ernest Measam, Mrs. A. C. Orr,
Mrs. Wm. Brockle, Mrs. J. M. Anderson,
and guest, Miss Jean Turnbull,
Miss Judy Pace, Mr. and Mrs. S. W.
Finkle, Mr. and Mrs. Hutton.

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The Rough House

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A Drama of Love and Hate in the Underworld.

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TODAY AND TOMORROW.

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Then you must come and see "The Little Orphan" at The Majestic Theatre, today and tomorrow.

It's all happiness and gives dainty ELLA HALL the opportunity of her vivacious young career. In it, as the little Belgian refugee, she has her most appealing role, and she is positively wonderful. It's a rare treat for happiness-loving folk to see the original on the screen—and thus deserves a hearty "YOU ARE sure to like it; so be sure and see it."

The Manager wants every little orphan in Edmonton to come to "THE LITTLE ORPHAN" free when accompanied by an adult.

Behind the Footlights

What the Advance Man Says

FIVE SULLY BACK AT THE PANTAGES

Old friends of Pantages theatre patrons will be among the headline acts on the new bill which opens this afternoon at the Jasper Avenue vaudeville house. The "Sully Back" houses to goodness family who offer "The Information Bureau." This is an original comedy novelty with plenty of snap and a sprinkling of song and dance. The "Sully Back" always gets it over the footlights in fine style.

Another feature is the Folies de Vogue,

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Today, Tuesday, Wednesday.

An Expose of the German Spy System

Gail Kane

AND

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ALL THIS WEEK

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Three Mori Brothers.

Willie Solar.

THE SULLY FAMILY

IN "The Information Bureau."

Surprising and Amazing Adventures Follow

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The crown may not direct any number of jurors to stand aside in excess of forty-eight, unless the judge presiding at the trial upon special cause shown, so orders.

Results of Public School Exams

SENIOR COMMERCIAL

The following candidates were successful in passing the recent Senior Commercial Examination:

Ashley, Beatrice M.; Bishop, Edna Elizabeth; Bjornson, Stanley E.; Blackwood, Grace; Buckley, Jessie; Elder, Helen; Florence, William; Hargrave, Louis; Hartman, Harry M.; Jarvis, Fred T.; Kaiser, Adam; Lawrence, Lillian S.; Locker, Lillian McIntosh, Leona Mildred; Miller, Helen E.; Montgomery, Frank; Mosher, Lester J.; Nelson, Roy H.; Nevier, Robert A.; Nolin, Letta Ada; Osgood, Fred Harry; Powell, William Francis; Walker, Peggy; Watson, Gladys; Williams, Villian.

JUNIOR COMMERCIAL

The following Junior Commercial Students were successful in passing the recent Departmental Examination on Canadian History and Civics:

Allen, Kathleen; Anderson, Charles; Baitman, Kathleen J.; Barr, Gladys; Berg, Herbert; Napier C.; Birnie, Doris; Brassel, William; Brooks, Lillian Irene; Burger, George; Cawley, Marjorie G.; Chapman, Archibald A.; Cole, Catherine Darrold; Collins, Gladys; Collison, Eddie; Crittenden, John; Dunn, Gladys Mary; Duff, Betty; Edwards, Gladys Mary; Edward, David; Dicks, Marion; Eider, John; Elstam, Edith; Edyvean; Elton, Ethel; Farnham, Freda; Ferguson, Fleming, Roy; Fellins, Edith Nine; Gibson, Charles Burton; Gillis, Tens; Gilmore, Mildred Louise; Glavin, Idie; Gulliver, Herbert; Hansen, Florence; Helmer, Hargreaves, Eva; Hastie, Gertrude; Hollingshead, Edith; Johnson, John; Johnstone, Olivia Rutledge; Keddy, Fred; Kellaway, Alfred Stanley; Luting, Alice Jean V.; Lamont, Connie; McBride, Victoria; McInnes, Nedra; Mullen, Richard; Murray, Jan; Myatt, Evelyn; Nallen, Richard; Naylor, Eddie; Mair, Mountfield; Mearns, Berneice Christine; Nolan, Anna Mary; O'Neil, Daniel; Palmer, Faynor; Payne, Anna; 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The Weather
FORECAST

The weather for the past twenty-four hours has been generally clear and moderately warm.

9 a.m.	54 above
3:30 a.m.	56 above
8 a.m.	62 above
10 a.m.	68 above
1 p.m. (noon)	72 above
3 p.m.	72 above
5 to 5:30 p.m.	72 above
11 p.m.	53 above

Saturday, Sunday, August 12.

9 a.m.	53 above
3:30 a.m.	54 above
8 a.m.	69 above
10 a.m.	73 above
1 p.m.	74 above
3 p.m.	64 above
5 to 5:30 p.m.	63 above
11 p.m.	51 above

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Sunrise Tuesday 7:57
Sun sets Tuesday —

Max. Min.

Edmonton 71
Medicine Hat 66
Saskatoon 68
Bridgeton 68
Brandon 82
Winnipeg 76
Red Deer 70
Calgary 79
Regina 74
Port Arthur 73

51

December was 74 down on an unofficial opening of 62.

Price was unchanged.

Canadian wheat opened unchanged for September at 218. This was the only opening in the American wheat markets up to 10 o'clock.

There were 223 cars inspected out of which 72 were contract.

The weather in the three prairie provinces was generally fair and clear with no rain reported. Edmonton is the only point reporting cloudy.

AT CHICAGO.

Chicago, Aug. 11.—A severe break in prices offered for corn for immediate delivery started today to weaken the market for futures. Industries were bidding only 100c. No. 2 Northern, which is a 10c to 17 cents as compared with yesterday's last sales. A fresh setback was attributed to the fact that marketing conditions are improving and grain buyers satisfied their wants previous to the enactment of the food control measure. Opening quotations for futures, which varied from unbroken to 100c, were 10c to 17 cents.

Wheat also downward, influenced by bearish sentiment during the assumed unlikelihood of any sustained advance in prices under official government food control. The market closed at 218. Entries close on Saturday the 11th and from the large number of entries already made it is believed the show will be one of the very best held in the city. All information may be obtained from the secretary, Mr. A. Pike at 10049 Jasper avenue.

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Without an opposing voice, the Liberal delegates at Winnipeg carried a resolution demanding the enforcement of Dominion-wide prohibition as a war measure. The public at large would carry the same resolution without enough dissenting voices to signify if they were given the chance. The inertia of our self-elected Parliament is all that shelters the booze business in Canada today.

For three years the Dominion Government has been urging the farmers to break up more land and produce all they possibly could to feed the armies and people of the Allied countries and to offset the fearful destruction of wealth that is going on at the battle fronts. This it was the Government's plain duty to do, and every credit is due the Ministers for having discharged it. In furtherance of that policy of increasing production it is the Government's duty to complete the railway lines to St. Paul de Metis and to Whitecourt, in which the Government is a partner with Mackenzie and Mann. These lines would both traverse settled and fertile country, and had they been built three years ago would have caused an increase of production that has not otherwise been possible. There is little use in urging people to do the impossible, and urging a farmer to produce when he is so far from a railway that he cannot farm to advantage is practically advising him to do what cannot be done.

Sir Thomas White explains that tax on payment of the income tax because he found that capital was not flowing into Canada for investment. It is possible that Sir Thomas could have found a less convincing reason to offer, but it is not likely. That capital is not flowing into Canada for investment now is quite likely true, and equally as likely to be true while the war lasts. If Sir Thomas had expectations to the contrary where did he expect the capital to flow from? Does Sir Thomas know of any large investing nation that is not now pooling its resources to buy ammunition? Does he know of one where wealth is taxed less heavily than in Canada? And does the idea not suggest itself to him that a tax on income would be quite as great a barrier to investment as a tax on business profits?

Undoubtedly so well informed a man as Sir Thomas knows the folly of his alleged disappointment at the stoppage of the inflow of capital. There are other uses for the world's capital today than investing it in Canada. Sad truth that it is, it is more important even for Canada and that capital be blown from guns in Europe than that it be put into productive uses in Canada. Sir Thomas' excuse is too foolish to delude anybody. He might better face the public frankly and tell them—what they know—that when foreclosed by public opinion to impose the income tax he tried to square matters with his influential friends by excusing them from the already existing business tax.

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The Guards Came Through.

Men of the 21st.

Up by the Chalk Pit Wood,
Wanting our wounds and our thirst,
After a day and a night—
Beaten and beaten, we ever forget!
But sticking it—sticking it yet.

Painting and spent and done,
Always the thud and the whine,
Always the yell of the Hail!

Northumberland, Lancaster

Durham and Somerset.

Fighting alone, worn to the bone,
But sticking it—sticking it yet.

As waiting and wincing we cursed
Our luck and the guns and the Boche,
When our Corporal shouted "Stand to!"

And I heard some one cry, "Clear the front for the Guards!"

Our throats were parched and hot
But Lord, if you'd heard the cheers
Irish and Welsh and Scot.

Coldstream and Grenadiers.

Two brigades, if you please,

Dressing as straight as a hem.

We'll wear it down on our knees,

Praying for a home for them;

Fraying with tear-wet cheeks.

Praying with outstretched hand,

Lord, I could speak for a week.

But how could you understand?

How should your cheeks be wet.

Such feelin's don't come to you,

But when can me and my mates forget

When the Guards came through!

"Five yards left extend?"

It passed from rank to rank,

Line after line with never a bend,

And a touch of the London swank.

A trifles of awink and dash,

As a hard parade.

Twinkles of a silken dash,

Flinching never a shade.

With the shrill right in their face

Doing their Hyde Park stunt,

Keeping their swing at an easy pace.

Arms at the trail, eyes front!

Man, it was great to see!

Man, it was great to do!

It's a cot and a hospital ward for me,

But I'll tell 'em in Blighty, wherever I be.

How the Guards came through.

—Arthur Conan Doyle.

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Adventures of Uncle Wiggily

By Howard R. Garis

Uncle Wiggily and the Hasty Pudding.

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"Oh, dear!" exclaimed Nurse Jane Fuzzy Wuzzy, the muskrat lady nurse for Uncle Wiggily Longears, as she started out of the hollow stump bungalow one morning. "I've forgotten all about it!"

"I forgot to make anything for dessert—you know what I mean, a pudding, a pie or cake to eat after supper."

"Well, can't I make it?" asked the bunny. "I fried an egg the other day, and scared the bear. I don't want to keep you in to make a dessert when you are all ready to go out. Can't I do it?"

"The only thing there is time to make now is a hasty pudding," said Nurse Jane.

"What's that?" asked the bunny.

"Oh, it's a pudding that can be made very quickly—in great haste, you know, when company comes unexpectedly. You stir up some corn meal, some molasses and sugar and eggs and cinnamon spice, and other things nice, in a bowl, and bake them in the oven. That is a hasty pudding, and you must have eaten every last morsel of it and baked it as fast as it will not be good."

"I'm sure I can do it," said Uncle Wiggily. "Go on to the one-and-a-half cent store, where you are going to buy the new piano, and I'll go for my walk in the woods. When it's almost time to get supper I'll come back and make the hasty pudding for dessert."

"All right—if you think you can do it," spoke Nurse Jane.

So away she went, and Uncle Wiggily after he had set out the corn meal, the sugar, molasses, spice and other things, where he could get at them quickly to make a hasty pudding, went for a walk in the woods to look for an adventure.

But he did not find one. However, there was one waiting for him at the hollow stump bungalow, as he soon found when he reached there.

As the bunny gentleman opened the door of the kitchen, to get ready to make the hurry up—I mean hasty—

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To Uncle Tom,
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Signed (full name)

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pudding, a voice said, very slowly and lazily.

"Well, I'm glad you came in. I've been waiting a long time for you!"

And before Uncle Wiggily could get out of the way a great, big, bad snapping turtle, who had been hiding behind the door, grabbed the rabbit-gentleman by his little short tail.

"Now I have you!" slowly said the turtle.

"Forgotten about what?" asked the old gentleman rabbit, as he was about to bite, for he not only moved slowly, but he still walked the same way. He never could have caught the bunny except by hiding behind the door.

"What are you going to do with me?" asked Mr. Longears, trying to pull his tail away from the snapping turtle, but the bunny couldn't do it.

"I'm going to hold you here until my friend—the big black bear—comes to get you," answered the turtle. "I said I'd do it—and I will—so there!"

He spoke more slowly than ever, with a deep, gruff voice.

"Oh, dear!" cried Uncle Wiggily,

as the turtle clung to his tail.

"This is terrible. Still, it is no reason why I should not make the hasty pudding as I promised. Maybe if I do something will happen."

Then Uncle Wiggily fairly jumped about the bungalow kitchen, as he knew he must move quickly in making a hasty pudding.

From the table to the ice box, from the ice box to the stove, from the stove to the table hopped the bunny. And everywhere he went the slow turtle went, too, holding fast on Uncle Wiggily's tail and sliding swiftly over the smooth oil cloth on the floor, since the turtle's claws wouldn't catch hold on it.

"Whiz! Whizz! Whuzz!" hurried Uncle Wiggily. He dashed the corn meal into a dish, slopped it in the molasses, dashed in the sugar, threw in the spices and, all the while jumping about the kitchen like a jumping jack.

"Oh, what-in-the-world-are-you-doing?" asked the turtle. "Can't you keep still—a minute? You make me nervous!"

"I can't keep still. I'm making a hasty hurry-up pudding," said the bunny.

Then Uncle Wiggily hurried more than ever to get the pudding baked, and he crawled around so fast that the turtle said:

"Well, this-is-no-place-for-a-slow person—like-me—where they're making hasty-puddings. I'll-get-heart-disease."

Then he let go of Uncle Wiggily's tail and crawled slowly away. And Nurse Jane, when she ate some later, said the pudding was very good.

So if the bumble bee doesn't go to sleep in the honeysuckle vine and blow the morning glory flower trumpet to wake up the sunflower, I'll tell you next about Uncle Wiggily and the mine pie.

DOROTHY QUIMBY

Stratheona, Aug. 4.

Letters to Uncle Tom

Picking Raspberries

Dear Uncle Tom—This is my third letter to your club, and I have not received my badge yet. I would like to receive it as soon as I can. We have started to hay. The raspberries are getting ripe, and I have found a few bunches of very nice. It rained most of the little. We have not had any rain for nearly three weeks and everything was so dry. Will any of the members send me the words of "Just Before the Battle, Mother." This is all for this time, and I hope to receive my badge soon. EMMA SCHEIE.

Duluth, July 21.
The words of "Just Before the Battle, Mother," were published a few days ago.

Calf For Milking

Dear Uncle Tom—I will have to write two letters this month as I did not write any in July. Well, this time I will tell you about my calf. I have a young man said if I milk a cow every night I could have a calf. My calf is red all over except at the end of its tail and it is a little darker there. I call him reddie. It is a good calf and grows well. Every night we let him out and we jumped and ran around, and he would not go in the barn until I came with his milk. This letter isn't very long, but I will have to close now. ANNA ANDERSON.

Bawlf, Aug. 5.

Engaged in Haying

Dear Uncle Tom—We have started haying and today it is raining so it will be hard to get the hay wet. One of my brothers has come back from England. He was in the army, but he sprained his leg and they said he could not have a dog, so he is Jeff and Jeff is very good for driving cattle and watching the farm. I like to read the stories about Uncle Wiggily and read the letters.

RUSSELL LONG.

Glenora, Aug. 2nd.

Don't Be Discouraged

Dear Uncle Tom—This is my fifth letter to your club. I have been expecting that present you would give me, but it hasn't arrived yet. If this letter goes in the waste basket I will give it up as a bad job. I did not see my last letter in print, so I hope to see it in this time. I am still picking berries.

EFFIE FERGUSON.

Vegreville, Aug. 6th.

Received Badge

Dear Uncle Tom—This is my second letter to your club. I received my badge and I lost it, and would you please send me another? I saw my letter in print last time, and I hope to see it in this time. I was still picking berries.

ERNEST KERN.

Leduc, August 6th.

Will someone please send me the words of the song, "We're Tenting Tonight on the Old Camp Ground."

Likes Letters and Stories

Dear Uncle Tom—I would like to become member of your club. I have been thinking about joining for a long time and I like them very much. I like the Uncle Wiggily stories. We have two dogs. Their names are Mutt and Jeff.

ANNE A. RATHIGAN.

Strathcona, Aug. 4.

Hail Was Needed

Dear Uncle Tom—It has been a long time since I have written to your interesting club. We have been very dry since spring got out in the spring and in the fall. The weather has been very dry and we need rain, but papa says the grain will fill up and be a good crop. It looks like rain tonight. Well, it will close, wishing every success to your farm.

WILSON PARKER.

Ardrossan, July 30.

In Grade Three.

Dear Uncle Tom—I have received the badge and think it very pretty. This is my first letter to your club. We have two little kittens. Their names are Coonie and Nini. We also have a dog named Buster. I am in Grade III. I hope to see you again on the 20th. Hope to see my letter in print.

DOROTHY QUIMBY.

Tees, Aug. 6th.

Eggs, the Great Mystery of Munich

A deep, dark mystery is agitating the burghers of Munich, Bavaria. The question on everybody's lips is: "Who had those 13,000 eggs?"

Munich, short of bread, finds temporary relief in trying to solve this problem. The Egg Mystery, as it has come to be known, is filling columns in the newspapers and is taking up the time of the town council and beards are wagging, and so are jaws, in trying to find the solution of the great mystery.

On a common outside the town was recently deposited at the dead of night a pile of eggshells, six feet high and some twenty feet square. It is estimated that the pile represents the remains of at least 13,000 eggs.

The police theory is that the eggs rotted in the hands of a hoarder, who sought thus to conceal the crime he had committed against the very stringent German food laws.

The town council has assured the people that the police will be kept on the trail of the egg hoarder until he is tracked to his lair.

If he has many more old eggs hoarded the tracking ought not to be difficult even for a Bavarian policeman.

DOROTHY QUIMBY.

Little Stories of Big Men

Nawat, Sultan ul Mulk

The premier prince of the Indian empire, Nawat, Sultan ul Mulk, Nizam of Hyderabad, is a big man in every sense of the word.

He is rich, he is powerful, he rules with intelligence and he is doing his bit for the Allies. He is a chivalrous and brave man.

The Indian nobleman, who is one of the world's richest potentates, is today celebrating his fifty-second birthday. In November, 1915, it was reported that the Nizam had been deposed by the British government because of his attempts to stir up a holy war in India.

This story, however, proved merely to be a wild war rumor. The fact of the matter is that at the outbreak of the war the Nizam, who is Mohammedan, although most of his subjects are Hindus, issued a proclamation calling upon his people to remain loyal to the British crown.

He followed this by contributing \$2,000,000 from his own strong box to defray the expenses of the 1st Hyderabad Imperial Lancers and the 12th Deccan Horse, which were transported to the front in France.

Hyderabad is one of the richest states in India, with an area of 82,000 square miles and a population of about 12,000,000. The Nizam claims to be descended in the male line from Ali-Bey, the ruler of Ayesha, one of the wives of Mohamet Ali, and who succeeded the prophet as the head of Islam and the first of a long line of Caliphs.

It is said that the Nizam has an annual income of ten million dollars, while his jewels, including the great Nizam diamond of 45 carats, have been valued at fifty million dollars.

While there has been practically no news from any part of India for more than two years, it has always been known that Hyderabad has long been the centre of disaffection against the British and the headquarters of the anti-British in the past in the German cause.

During the recent investigation in England into the failure and mismanagement of the Mesopotamia expedition, facts were brought to light disclosing a high state of unrest in India, which necessitated the maintenance of large bodies of troops in the empire. It is more than likely that some of these troops were employed in suppressing uprisings in Hyderabad as well as in other parts of India.

DOROTHY QUIMBY.

Today's Anniversaries

It is not generally known that Great Britain once held sway over Cuba, but such was the case, if only for a brief period. It was on Aug. 13, 1762, that Cuba was surrendered to the British, and gained her freedom through their capture.

That took 2,000 pounds in specie, large quantities of goods and munitions, nine ships of the line and four frigates. In the following year Great Britain exchanged the island with Spain for the Floridas. On August 13, 1775, Washington informed Congress that the British had taken Boston, New England amounted to no more than 9,227 pounds, about nine pounds to a man.

Although this information was communicated to the British by a deserter, they could not believe it possible that the Americans possessed such assurance as to continue to invest them in Boston while so destitute of communication.

Other notable events in history that occurred on this memorable date were: 1818, birth of Lucy Stone, one of the organizers of the American Woman Suffrage Association; in 1846, Los Angeles captured by the Americans; 1898, Manila, P. I., surrendered to the American forces.

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